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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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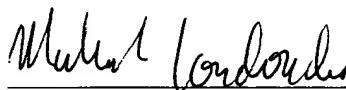
SUBMISSION OF ENGLISH TRANSLATION OF CITED REFERENCE

Sir:

Applicant submits herewith a full English translation of the reference entitled "Special Issue: 'Latest Agent Technology' bit," Feb. 1999/Vol. 31, No. 2, pp.2-34, which was cited in a Second Information Disclosure Statement filed on December 6, 2001.

Applicant's undersigned attorney may be reached in our Washington, D.C. office by telephone at (202) 530-1010. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our address given below.

Respectfully submitted,

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